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RECEPTORS WITH ALTERED LIGAND BINDING AND/OR
COUPLING PROPERTIES*

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This is submitted in response to the Office Action dated April 29, 2004. A Request for a Three-Month Extension of Time and the appropriate fee based on large entity status are filed concurrently herewith. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this document.